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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Commissioner:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

The CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS section should read as follows:

The present invention is a continuation-in-part of the following co-pending applications, the contents of each of which are herein incorporated by reference: (1) Serial Number 09/390,856 entitled "Dynamic Regulation of Power Consumption of a High-Speed 6.189.047, Communication System" filed on September 03, 1999, which is a continuation-in-part of 09/143,476 filed on August 28, 1998, and 6,364.596 claims benefit of 60/108,319 filed on November 13, 1998, and claims benefit of 60/130,616 filed on April 22, 1999; and (2) Serial Number 09/437,721 entitled "Timing Recovery System for a Multi-Pair

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Gigabit Transceiver" filed on November 09,1999, which claims benefit of 60/107,874 filed on November 09, 1998, and claims benefit of 60/108,319 filed on November 13, 1998, and claims benefit of 60/108,648 filed on November 16, 1998, and claims benefit of 60/130,616 filed on April 22, 1999.

REMARKS

No new matter has been added. Please enter the above preliminary amendments prior to the initial examination of the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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